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June 24, 2005

Delivered Via Regular Mail

Ms. Retha Dixon, Docket Manager Federal Election Commission

Washington, DC 20463

MUR # 5 668

Dear Ms. Dixon:

Thank you for your letter of June 16, 2005, indicating that I will need to submit an affidavit to file a legally sufficient complaint. Enclosed please find my affidavit.

Best Wishes,

JERRY MEEK

Chair

/jm Enclosure

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF WAKE

Affiant, having first been duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am the Chairman of the North Carolina Democratic Party.
- 2. Mr. Billy Creech was the Republican nominee for Congress in 2004, from the 2nd Congressional District of North Carolina.
- 3. Mr. Creech was defeated in his bid for election but is considered to be a potential candidate for the same race in 2006.
- 4. Following the election, Capital Outdoor Advertising of Raleigh, North Carolina continued to post billboards for Mr. Creech, despite any evidence that Mr. Creech's campaign committee was paying Capital Outdoor Advertising for this service.
- 5. On or about May 5, 2005, I wrote Mr. Bradley B. Comer at Capital Outdoor Advertising to complain that his company's continued posting of these billboards constitutes an illegal, in-kind corporate contribution to Mr. Creech's campaign. I received no response to my letter.
- 6. Approximately one month later, I again wrote to Mr. Comer, after discovering that billboards bearing Mr. Creech's campaign advertisement continued to stand in parts of the 2nd district of North Carolina. That letter was copied to the Federal Elections Commission and the North Carolina Board of Elections. I again received no response to my letter.
- 7. After reviewing the electronically filed campaign finance reports submitted to the FEC by Mr. Creech's campaign committee, I can find no indication that Mr. Creech's committee is compensating Capital Outdoor Advertising for the continued posting of Mr. Creech's billboards.

This the 24 day of June, 2005.

GERALD F. MEKK

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 444 day of June, 2005.